

Precalc Warm Up # 3-3

1. Expand: $(2x + 3)^5$

2. Factor:

a. $25 - (z + 5)^2$

b. $12x^2 + 7x + 1$

c. $27x^3 + 8x^6$

d. $2x^3 - x^2 - 6x + 3$

e. $x^{16} - 1$

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13. $\frac{12(x + y)^3}{9(x + y)}$

15. $(-2x^2)^3(4x^3)^{-1}$

19. $(4a^{-2}b^3)^{-3}$

In Exercises 23 and 24, write each number in scientific notation.

23. (a) 93,000,000

41. (a) $64^{-2/3}$

$$\left(\frac{1}{64}\right)^{2/3}$$

$$\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{64}}\right)^2$$

$$\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^2 \rightarrow \boxed{\frac{1}{16}}$$

45. (a) $\sqrt{75x^2y^{-4}}$

$$\sqrt{25 \cdot 3 x^2 \left(\frac{1}{y}\right)^2}$$

$$5|x| \cdot \frac{1}{y^2} \sqrt{3}$$

$$= \frac{5|x|\sqrt{3}}{y^2}$$

In Exercises 47–50, use fractional exponents to verify the indicated reduction of the index.

49. $\sqrt[6]{(x+1)^4} = \sqrt[3]{(x+1)^2}$

$$(x+1)^{4/6} = (x+1)^{2/3}$$

$$(x+1)^{2/3} = (x+1)^{2/3}$$

53. (a) $\frac{5}{\sqrt[3]{(5x)^2}} \cdot \frac{\sqrt[3]{5x}}{\sqrt[3]{5x}} = \frac{5 \sqrt[3]{5x}}{\sqrt[3]{(5x)^3}}$

$$\frac{5 \sqrt[3]{5x}}{5x}$$

$$a^2 \cdot a^1$$

$$a^3$$

rationalize denominator:

55. (a) $\frac{3}{\sqrt{5} + \sqrt{6}} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{5} - \sqrt{6}}{\sqrt{5} - \sqrt{6}}$

$$\frac{3(\sqrt{5} - \sqrt{6})}{5 - 6}$$

$$-3(\sqrt{5} - \sqrt{6})$$

rationalize numerator:

59. (a) $\frac{(\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{2})(\sqrt{3} + \sqrt{2})}{x(\sqrt{3} + \sqrt{2})}$

$$\frac{3 - 2}{x(\sqrt{3} + \sqrt{2})} \dots$$

63. (a) $2\sqrt{4y} - 2\sqrt{9y} + 10\sqrt{y}$

$$4\sqrt{y} - 6\sqrt{y} + 10\sqrt{y}$$

$$8\sqrt{y}$$

65. (a) $\sqrt{5x^2y}\sqrt{3y} = \sqrt{15x^2y^2} = |xy|\sqrt{15}$

67. $\sqrt{50}\sqrt[3]{2}$

$$\sqrt{25 \cdot 2}$$

$$5\sqrt{2} \sqrt[3]{2}$$

$$5 \cdot 2^{1/2} \cdot 2^{1/3}$$

$$5 \cdot 2^{5/6}$$

$$5\sqrt[6]{2^5}$$

71. (a) $2400(1 + 0.06)^{20}$

$$\frac{3}{3} \cdot \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{2}{2}$$

$$\frac{3}{6} + \frac{2}{6}$$

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21. $(x + \sqrt{5})(x - \sqrt{5})(x + 4)$ 25.

$$(a+b)^2$$

$$a^2 + 2ab + b^2$$

31. $(m - 3 + n)(m - 3 - n)$

$$m^2 - 3m - mn + 9 + 3n - n^2$$

$$- 3m + mn - 3n$$

$$m^2 - 6m + 9 - n^2$$

27. $[(x-3) + y]^2$

$$(x-3)^2 + 2(x-3)y + y^2$$

$$x^2 - 6x + 9 + 2xy - 6y + y^2$$

$$\boxed{35.} \quad (2x - y)^3$$

$$\begin{aligned} & 1(2x)^3 + 3(2x)^2(-y) + 3(2x)(-y)^2 + 1(-y)^3 \\ & 8x^3 - 12x^2y + 6xy^2 - y^3 \end{aligned}$$

$$39. \quad (x-1)^2 + 6(x-1)$$

factor out
(x-1)

$$(x-1)(x-1+6)$$

$$(x-1)(x+5)$$

In Exercises 41–44, factor squares.

$$\boxed{41.} \quad 16y^2 - 9$$

$$\boxed{43.} \quad (x-1)^2 - 4$$

$$\boxed{45.} \quad x^2 - 4x + 4$$

$$\boxed{53.} \quad 9z^2 - 3z - 2$$

$$\boxed{55.} \quad x^3 - 8$$

$$\boxed{59.} \quad x^3 - x^2 + 2x - 2$$

63. $6 + 2x - 3x^3 - x^4$

65. $x^3 - 4x^2$

69. $9x^2 + 10x + 1$

73. $2(x+1)(x-3)^2 - 3(x+1)^2(x-3)$

73) 2 terms. Factor out
what they have in common:

$2(t^3 - 2^3)$

$(x+1)(x-3)(2(x-3) - 3(x+1))$

$2(x \quad)$

distribute and
combine like terms

$(x+1)(x-3)(-x-4)$

$-(x+1)(x-3)(x+4)$

79. $2t^3 - 16$

today: PC book: 1.4

Add, subtract, multiply and divide rational expressions.

Simplify complex fraction expressions.

Using factoring to reduce fractions to lowest terms.

$$\frac{15}{5} = \frac{10 + \cancel{5}}{\cancel{5}} \neq 10 \quad \text{☹️}$$

$$\frac{15}{5} = \frac{3 \cdot \cancel{5}}{\cancel{5}} = 3 \quad \text{😊}$$

If you want to reduce by **CANCELING**,
you must **FACTOR** first and cancel out entire factors.

$$\frac{x^3 - 4x}{x^2 - 4x + 4}$$

$$\frac{\boxed{x(x+2)(\cancel{x-2})}}{(x-2)(\cancel{x-2})}$$

$$\frac{12 + x \ominus x^2}{2x^2 - 9x + 4}$$

first factor -1 out to make it easier

$$\frac{-(x^2 - x - 12)}{(2x-1)(x-4)}$$

$$\frac{\boxed{-(x+3)(\cancel{x-4})}}{(2x-1)(\cancel{x-4})}$$

$$\frac{4-x}{x-4} \rightarrow \frac{-1(-4+x)}{(\cancel{x-4})}$$

Multiplying and Dividing Rational Expressions:

$$\frac{x^3 - 8}{2x^3} \cdot \frac{4x}{x^2 - 5x + 6} = \frac{\cancel{(x-2)}^2 (x^2 + 2x + 4) \cancel{(4x)}}{(x-3) \cancel{(x-2)} \cancel{(2x)}} = \frac{2(x^2 + 2x + 4)}{x^2(x-3)}$$

$$\frac{\frac{x^2 - y^2}{xy}}{\frac{(x-y)^2}{xy}} = \frac{(x+y)\cancel{(x-y)}}{\cancel{xy}} \cdot \frac{\cancel{xy}}{\cancel{(x-y)}(x-y)} = \frac{x+y}{x-y}$$

Adding and Subtracting Rational Expressions. (You need a **common denominator**.)

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{3}{x-1} - \frac{2}{x} + \frac{x+3}{x^2-1} \quad & \text{LCD} = x(x+1)(x-1) \\ \frac{x(x+1)}{x(x+1)} \cdot \frac{3}{x-1} - \frac{2(x^2-1)}{x(x^2-1)} + \frac{x+3}{x^2-1} \cdot \frac{x}{x} \\ \frac{3x^2 + 3x - 2x^2 + 2 + x^2 + 3x}{x(x+1)(x-1)} \\ \frac{2x^2 + 6x + 2}{x(x+1)(x-1)} \\ \boxed{\frac{2(x^2 + 3x + 1)}{x(x+1)(x-1)}} \end{aligned}$$

Simplify the compound fraction

$$\frac{\frac{2-3x}{x} - \frac{1}{x-1}}{1 - \frac{1}{x-1}}$$

Now flip the denom. and multiply.

$$= \frac{2-3x}{x} \cdot \frac{x-1}{x-2} \rightarrow \frac{(2-3x)(x-1)}{x(x-2)}$$

Do it again using the LCD method: $LCD = x(x-1)$

$$\frac{\frac{2-3}{x} - \frac{1}{x-1}}{1 - \frac{1}{x-1}} \cdot \frac{LCD}{LCD} = \frac{\left(\frac{2-3}{x}\right) \cdot x(x-1)}{\left(1 - \frac{1}{x-1}\right) \cdot x(x-1)}$$

$$= \frac{2 \cdot x(x-1) - 3x(x-1)}{1 \cdot x(x-1) - \frac{1}{x-1} \cdot x(x-1)}$$

$$= \frac{2(x-1) - 3x(x-1)}{x(x-1) - x}$$

Factor $(x-1)$ out of num.
Factor x out of den.

$$= \frac{(x-1)(2-3x)}{x(x-2)}$$

Simplifying an expression that has negative exponents.

$$x(1-2x)^{-3/2} + (1-2x)^{-1/2}$$

$$\frac{x}{(1-2x)^{3/2}} + \frac{1}{(1-2x)^{1/2}} \cdot \frac{(1-2x)^1}{(1-2x)^{3/2}}$$

$$\frac{x + 1 - 2x}{(1-2x)^{3/2}}$$

$a^m \cdot a^n = a^{m+n}$

$$\frac{1-x}{(1-2x)^{3/2}}$$

Rationalizing the denominator or the numerator

1. Rationalize the denominator

$$\frac{4}{\sqrt{x+2}} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{x+2}}{\sqrt{x+2}} = \frac{4\sqrt{x+2}}{x+2}$$

2. Rationalize the numerator

$$\frac{\sqrt{z-3}-\sqrt{z}}{3} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{z-3}+\sqrt{z}}{\sqrt{z-3}+\sqrt{z}}$$

$$\frac{z-3-z}{3(\sqrt{z-3}+\sqrt{z})}$$

$$\frac{-3}{3(\sqrt{z-3}+\sqrt{z})}$$

$$\boxed{\frac{-1}{\sqrt{z-3}+\sqrt{z}}}$$

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